

**CRESSONA BOROUGH COUNCIL REORGANIZATION MEETING
MINUTES OF JANUARY 2, 2024**

Call to Order: 5:00 p.m. by Mayor Sandra Renninger.

Roll Call: Those in attendance were Robert Barr, Michelle Blankenhorn, John Grodis, Mike Pascuzzo, Linda Walinsky, Sandra Renninger, Regina Sonon, Steve Moyer, and Eric Prock.

Nomination and Election of President: Mayor Sandra Renninger called for nominations to serve as Council President for a period of 2 years (Reorganization Meeting).

Mike made a motion to nominate Linda Walinsky; Michelle seconded the nomination. There were no other nominations. A motion to close nominations was made by Mike; Bob seconded the motion all Ayes.

Mike made a motion to appoint Linda to the position of Council President for a period of 2 years; seconded by John. All Ayes

Nomination and Election of Vice President: Linda asked for nomination for Council Vice President.

John made the motion, seconded by Bob to nominate Mike Pascuzzo. This was the only nomination. A motion was made by Bob and seconded by John to close the nominations. All Ayes

A motion was made by John and seconded by Michelle to appoint Mike to the position of Council Vice President for a term of 2 years. All Ayes

Nomination and Election for Pro Tem: Michelle made a motion to appoint Bob as Pro Tem seconded by Mike. All Ayes

No other nominations.

A motion to close the nominations was made by John and seconded by Mike. All Ayes

A motion was made by Mike and seconded by Michelle. To appoint Bob as the Pro Tem for a period of 2 years. All Ayes

Appointments

1. Appointment of Engineer for 2024 – A motion was made by Bob and seconded by Mike to appoint Systems Design Engineering for Sewage Enforcement, Zoning and Code Enforcement, and UCC Services. All Ayes
2. A motion was made by Mike and seconded by Bob to appoint Eric Prock, Borough Solicitor for 2024. All Ayes
3. A motion was made by Bob and seconded by Mike to appoint Shane Hobbs, Zoning/Hearing Board Solicitor through January 31, 2024. All Ayes
4. A motion was made by Mike and seconded by Linda to appoint L. Sam Deegan Accounting Firm for audit and accounting services throughout 2024. All Ayes
5. Committee Appointments: A motion was made by Bob and seconded by Dave to appoint the following
 - a. Scott Blankenhorn – Sewer Authority Board Member to a four-year term.
 - b. Bob Barr – Planning Commission
 - c. Kathy Butz – Cemetery Commission
6. TABLED – Appointment of Chairperson of Vacancy Board

Citizen Participation: No citizen participation

Motion to Adjourn the Reorganization Meeting at 5:13 was made by Bob and Seconded by Mike All Ayes